STAUNTON WON ONE OF THREE

In a Close Game Barton Heights Lost Yesterday Afternoon.

PORTER DID GOOD WORK

The Southpaw Blonde, for the Visitors, Had Some Peculiar Twists.

Staunton's base-ball nine found both Hoskins and Brooks yesterday afternoon, and took the game from Barton Heights by the score of 10 to 6, With the exception of the first inning, Porter, the southpaw blonde twirler for the visitors was invincible, and he handed them over the plate in a style that had a tinge of the big league performance Three of the six hits scored against the visiting curveologist came in the opening inning when that famous splt-ball failed

Not only did the Staunton aggregation win the game yesterday, but the manager of the aggregation took away from some of the most ardent supporters of the Richmond nine a neat little packvagered on the result. So far as known the game yesterday was the only one of the three upon which wagers have one of the three upon when wagers have been made, and Manager Ople for the leam from Staunton, certainly had a "hunch" that was a good one. For when the sports in the grandstand wanted to bluff him off the board, he held his hand and demonstrated that there was no four-

went in the box, in the stanton nine that nothing could check the swats that were coming to them. They not only pounded the leather and thereby made runs, but the nine from across the divide didn't play with the usual vigor that characterized the two previous exhibitions.

Tritton, for instance, down at first, was out of form. And Tritton is a good bail player. He is a safe hitter, an oxcellent base-runner and covers the first sack with as much agility as any man in the Twin City League. But yesterday was his off-day, as the error column will show.

The absence of Mills from the position of the same and the s

of catcher changed the Barton Heights' line-up around, and possibly resulted in the loss of the game. Rose had to be called in from the field and placed on third. Bache, who does time on the sack nearest to the run-making one, was put behind the bat, and Brooks went out in left field. The change of the positions of the players had something to do with the playing of the men, collectively.

But that has nothing to do with the game. For excitement the same was

game. For excitement the game was unequaled by any of the three. There were few of the prophets in the grand stand who could tell how it was going until the last man had died in the last half of the ninth. It was one of these

half of the ninth. It was one of these games where everybody, even those who never did the trick before, hit the ball, and where the very best of players throw the horsehide without aiming. Passed balls were a kind of ordinary thing, and wild pitches became very usual.

Porter did better work in the box, with the exception of the one inning, than any one of the other visiting pitchers did. He lined them over the plate in good style, and, with proper fielding behind him, the score for the Barton Heights would not have been so large. In the fifth inning, when two men wore out and two on bases, the third batter was struck out. Craig dropped the ball, and when transferd, the runner from third, came tearing down the line for home plate.

truns came in, while the man who had struck out landed safely on second. This was a sample of the playing. Yet it was exciting. And nothing goes to show that there was plenty of chance in the exhibition better than does the amount of the bets placed on the teams.

Barton Heights went to bat, and Rose fell a victim to three balls that Porter had spat upon. Boone caught one of the balls before it broke properly, and drove it away for two sacks, Hoskins drove a single and Boone went to third, On a passed ball he came across the rubber. passed ball he came across the rubber lected to cover the first bag. Both men were safe. Bache sent one out towards center field, but Shields made one of the prettiest running catches of the season and pulled it down. Phillips missed two of the bails and then landed on one for fair. The sphere sailed out over the head of the man in left sarden and struck with a dull thud against the fence. While Phillips was getting around to the third sack the other two men were coming across the plate.

Brooks sent one down to second, and it wasn't handled. Phillips came across the plate on the fumble. Tritton sent one out to right garden that should have been a hit. Fast work of G. Campbell caught the runner at first, and the first half of the first inning came to an end with the lected to cover the first bag. Both men

the first inning came to an end with the Barton Heights team four runs in the

Barton Heights team four runs higher lead.

Shields opened for the visitors, and went out from short to first. Craig knocked the microbes and G. Campboll sailed one down to Tritton, who pulled it down after a beautiful run. And it was three up and three down on aither side until the third, when the undoing came. Feiser opened for the Staunton nine. He pasted a single. Porter flied to short, and Gantt drove one down towards first, and it was not handled. The ball was sent across to third, and there was another fumble. Feiser scored on the general bad olay. Shields connected with an out from fumble. Felser scored on the general bad play. Shields connected with an out from Hoekins's mit, and the ball went out for three sacks. Craig nailed one for two sacks, and Gantt and Shields placed their shoes against the rubber. G. Campbell got a single and stole second, and then went down to third on the same article. M. Campbell sent one out to left garden, and after it was pulled down his brother scored. Fuller got a single, but Tucker went out to short and relieved the miscry. Result: Five runs and five hits.

It was at this stage of the game that the betting began. Those in the grand stand were sure that Hoskins would not allow any such thing to happen again, and placed their coin accordingly. The visitors had one run the best of it, but that made no difference with the wagers. Felser was the one to start off the fourth inning. He sent one down to Phillips, who never misses a throw. Porter drew a single, and Gantt sent one with whisters on it to Tritton, who falled to hande it. On a passed ball Porter scored and Ehields drew a compilmentary pass. Craig set a fielder's choice, retiring Shields as It was at this stage of the game that Shields drew a complimentary pass. Craig round trip. Tickets good returning next soil a fielder's choice, retiring Shields at day from Old Point, 12.00

second. G. Campbell pasted a good one, and two runs came across. He later died from the catcher to third.

By a combination of errors in the sixth. Staunton made two more runs, making six altogether. In the same tuning Barton Heights got two men over the rubber by bad playing.

The Staunton team, every one of whom has made friends in the city, will leave this morning for Farmville to play a series of games there. They have been quartered at Campbell's Hotel in the city, and have made acquaintances rapidly and pleaged the crowds with their gentlemanly, conduct.

CHAMPIONS WIN FROM CLEVELAN

FROM CLEVELAN

Bostonians Take Postponed Games there, they have been quartered at Campbell's Hotel in the city, and have made acquaintances rapidly and pleaged the crowds with their gentlemanly, conduct.

Games To-day.

Barton Heights will to-day tackie the Manchester aggregation and Richmond will go against the Brownies. The two games will draw a crowd that will be larger than any one that has withosed any Saturday games here this season. The champion Brownies are fresh from their victory over the Norfolk and Bmporia aggregations, and will attempt to defeat the Richmonders with ease to-day. But Crawford will be in the box for the Richmond nine, and he says that if he is given any support, there will be a different story to tell.

Manchester and Barton Heights will try conclusions. They are evenly matched, and the fans will get the worth of their money.

On Theseday Wedgesday and Thursday Cinchona Chalfonte and Au Revolute of Big Vesterday in Either of Big Voir Among Winners—Results on Other Tracks.

No games were scheduled in either the American or the National League yesterday. The Boston Americans defeated the Cleveland team in a post-poned game, played in Boston.

First race—five and one-half furiongs—poned game, played in Boston.

Cinchona, Chalfonte and Au Revoir Among Winners—Results on Other Tracks.

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, July 23.—Six favorites were successful at Brighton Beach to-day, and the betting contingent had the fans will get the worth of their money.

Cinchona 3 to 1) first, Mantanus 3 to 10 first, Mantanus 4 to 10 first, Mantanus 4 to 10 first, Mantanus 5 to 10 first, Mantanus 6 to 10 first, Mantanus 6 to 10 first, Mantanus 6 to 10 first, Ma

money.

On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday
the Norfolk team will be here for a try
with the Brownies, and they are confinent that they will be able to get revenge
for the awful drubbing given them in
their home city by the champions.

The official score follows:
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M. Campbell, 3b		0	0	-1	0	0	
Fuller, 2b	930,438	0	1	2	8	1	
Pucker, 1b	7.14	0	1	10	0	0	
Felser, cf	1111	1	2	2	0	0	
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Jantt, If		2	0	1	0	0	
SHE SHARE THE SECOND SHEET		-	-	-	-	-	
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Gate City wall won both of the sace ball games here with Charlotte to-day, the scores being 7 to 5 in the first and 8 to 4 in the last game. Home runs were made by Charter, Daley, Moore and Reed. First game-

POSTMASTER SHOOTS FOLK MAKES MOVE AND KILLS A CITIZEN

(By Associated Press.) OXFORD, MISS., July 28.—E. H. Helsy, postmaster at Abbeville, shot and killed B. A. Gallagher in that village early to-

It is the aim of a system of criminal law to check and prevent crime by the prompt and just punishment of crime actually committed. The system of law that falls in a large degree to impose penalities at once justly and with reasonably promptitude protects and encourages crime. That is, in substance, the accusation brought against the American system of criminal law by an able lawyer, distinguished jurist and experienced administrator, Mr. Tatt, the Secretary of War.

Certainly his figures sustain hi cusation. Look at this striking table:

Per cont. of executions.. 0.66 0.014
In other words, the number of murders increased four and one-half times and the number of executions remained practically the same. Roughly speaking, the chances of escape for a murderer were nearly five times as great last year as they were twenty years before. It may be suggested that there is some doubt as to the actual classification of "murders" in this statement, but Mr. Taft is not likely to have been careless in compiling them, and the comparison is probably not affected.—New York Times.

Print Cloth Market.

FAIL (IVER MASS. July 23.—The sales in the print cloth market during the week amounted to about 200,000 pieces. There has been a marked advance in price of regulars during the week the th price of regulars during the week the price for 28-inch 64 squares having risen from \$1-4 nominal to 3.3-8 cents, and even at this advanced figure manufacturers are not apparently very anxious to do an extensive business, Everything points to higher prices, both for the raw and finished material.

Mr. Gates Married.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CUMBERLAND, MD., July 28.—Mr. E. W. Gates. a wholesale grocer and promident resident of Richmond, Va., and Miss Letty E. Sellman were married Tuesday at the home of the bride's mother. Mrs. Boule, Bedford Street, Cumberland, by the Rev. E. C. Allard, pastor of the Baptist Church of Frostburg.

The bridal couple left for Deer Park and will later visit Western cities.

The Latest Fad. C. & O. SATURDAY AFTERNOON \$1 Excursions to the SEASIDE

Special fast train leaves Richmond Saturday aftermon at 3 P. M., running through to Buckroe Beach in two hours. Returning, leave Buckroe 10 P. M. \$1.00

FROM GLEVELAND

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Scores Yesterday. Boston 7, Cleveland 3

Where They Play To-day.

St. Louis at Boston.

Cleveland at New York.

Chicago at Philadelphia,

Detroit at Washington.

Standing of the Clubs. Clubs Won Lost P | Cheveland ...53 33 .616 | Boston33 42 .451 | Chicago49 32 .665 | St. Louis...31 52 .315 | Detroit43 41 .512 | Washington ...3 54 .349

Boston, 7; Cleveland, 3.
BOSTON, MASS., July 28.—The locals
day won a postponed game with Cleve-

and Bemis. Time, 1:45. Umpires, C nolly and Connor. Attendance, 8,366.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Where They Play To-day. New York at Cincinnati. Philadelphia at Chicago. Brooklyn at Pittaburg. Boston at St. Louis

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At Atlanta: Atlanta 7, Memphis 8. At Nashville: Nashville 0, New Or-

At Montgomery: Shreveport Montgomery; rain.
At Birmingham: Birmingham-Little
Rock; rain.

South Atlantic League. At Augusta; Columbia 0, Augusta 3. At Charleston: Charleston 8, Savan

AGAINST DELMAR

Club Summoned to Show Cause Why Property Should Not

Be Forfeited. (By Associated Press.)

ST. LOUIS, MO., July 28.-In a statement signed by Samuel W. Adler, one of the stockholders, the Delmar Jockey Club to-day announced that there would be no racing at the Delmar track this afternoon, and that the track would be closed, pending the court proceedings at Jefferson City.

Proceedings Begun.

(By Associated Press.)
JEFFERSON CITY, MO., Quo-war-JEFFERSON CITY, MO., Quo-war-wanto proceedings, prepared by Attorney-General Hadley, were filed in the Supreme Court to-day, seeking to annul the charter of the Delmar Jockey Club and to confiscate the property for the use of the State. Judge Marshall, of the Supreme Court, issued an order directing the respondent to appear before the Supreme Court on October 10th and show cause why the charter should not be annulled and the property forfetted to the State.

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The petition alleges the misuse of the franchise granted the jockey citt since the law prohibiting pool selling and book-making recently went into effect.

Visible Cotton Supply.

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(By Associated Press.)

NEW ORLEANS. July 28.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotion, issued to-day, shows the total visible to be 2,948,801, against 3,-118,428 last week, and 1,560,335 last year. Of this, the total of American cotton is 1,872,801, against 1,925,428 last week, and 742,335 last year, and of all other kinds. Including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 1,112,000, against 1,192,000 last week, and 818,000 last year. Of the world's visible supply of cotton as above, there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and Continental Europe, 1,805,000, against 191,000 last year; in Egypt, 86,000, against 81,000 last year; in India, 750,000 against 91,000 last year; and in the United States, 544,000, against 173,000 last year;

No Sunday Base-Ball. (By Associated Press.)

TALLAHASSER, FLA., July 28.—The
suprome Court of day rendered its decision affirming the judgment of the
lower court in the Sunday passe-ball case.
The decision affirmed the constitutionality of the law forbidding Sunday baseball.

Washington Affairs.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 28.—Joseph
Randall has been appointed postmaster
at Warley, Madison county, N. C., vice
John A. Warley, resigned.
Rural free delivery, route No. 2, ordered established October 2d at Asheboro, Randolph county, N. C., serving 550
recole and 110 houses. people and 110 houses

Gaynor-Greene Case.

MONTREAL July 28.—The argument for the writ of habeas corpus in the Gaynor-Greene case was to-day by mutual consent of judge and counsel postponed until Beptember 5th. The habeas corpus application is on the ground that the magistrate had no power to try their ross.

WIN AT BRIGHTON

Bostonians Take Postponed Game Lady Amelia Beats Lady Uncas and Frontenac in Second-Race.

(By Associated Press.)
NEW YORK, July 28.—Six favorites
were successful at Brighton Beach to-

Cinchona (3 to 1) first, Mantanus (3 to) second, St. Estephe (5 to 1) third,

Second race—six furlengs—Lady Amelia 1 to 5) first, Lady Uncas (5 to 1) se-ond, Frontenac (8 to 1) third. Time,

Third race—one mile and a sixteenth— The Mighty (2 to 1) first, St. Breeze (1s to 1) second, Jerry Lynch (7 to 2) third. Time, 1:47. Fourth race—one mile and a furlong—

Au Revoir (7 to 2) first, Marmes (6 to 1) second, Caronal (8 to 1) third, Time, Fifth race-six furlongs-Chalfonte (Piltin Face—Six timoggs—circle to 1) first, Kercheval (15 to 1) second, Phidias (8 to 5) third. Time, 1:14.
Sixth race—one mile and a sixteenth—Louis H. (9 to 10) first, Binderton (0 to 1) second, Father D. (50 to 1) third.

Cincinnati.

(By Associated Press.) CINCINNATI, O., July 28.-Latoni

CINCINNATI, U., suny summaries:
Pirst race—six furlongs—Ethel Barry (5 to 1) first, Lady Lasca (15 to 1) second, Fontesia (5 to 3) third. Time, 1:15 2-5. Second race—six furlongs—Frivol (5 to 1) first, Midnight Chimes (50 to 1) second, Mabel Winn (8 to 5) third, Time, 1:15 1-5. Third race—mile and one hundred yards— Third race-mile and one hundred yards King Blisworth (3 to 1) first, Telephone (3 to 5) second, Horiensia (4 to 1) third. Time, 1:162-5. Fourth race—five furlongs—Inspector

Girl (7 to 1) first, Grace Wagner (17 to 20) second, Lilita (9 to 5) third. Time,

20) second, Little [5 to 5] tillic. Tille, 1:00.2-5.

Fifth race—club-house course, steeple-chase—Shackleford (6 to 5) first, Lig.us Out (8 to 1) second, Martin Brady (3 to 1) third. Time, 3:29.3-5.

Sixth race—six furlongs—J. W. O'Nelli

(6 to 5) first, The Roustabout (2 to 1 second, Covina (12 to 1) third. Time

Detroit.

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(By Associated Press)

DETROIT, MICH., July 28.—Heavy rain stopped the racing 10-day at Grosso Pointe track after two heats had been raced in each of the three events on the card. The final heats of the events will be raced to morrow! Summaries:

2:06 pace: purse, 41,500—Winfield, Stratter was first heat. Baron Grattan secton won first heat; Baron Grattan sec-ond heat; Riley B. third. Best time

2:05 1-4.
2:24 trot; M. and M. Consolation; pursa, \$2,000-Miss In Law won two heats; Getamay second; Emily Letcher third. Best time, 2:13 1-4.
2:10 trot; purse, \$1,800-Zephyr won first heat; Norman B. second heat; Brownie Willton third. Best time, 2:12

FAST TROTTING.

Lou Dillon and Major Delman Make Fine Records.

Make Fine Records.

(By Associated Press.)

CLEVELAND, O., July 28.—Lou Dillon (1:58 1-2) troited her two fastest miles of the season at the Glenvilla track to-day. Each was made in 2:06, Her previous best mile was 2:06 1-2, made on July 15th.

Major Delmar, after trotting a slow first helf in 1:08, finished the mile in 2:08, which is considered in some respects the most remarkable mile ever troited by the Major.

HIS LEG CRUSHED OFF.

Boy Dies On Operating Table at East Radford.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
EAST RADFORD, VA., July 28.—Will
Fuglt. a. young boy, 15 years old, from
Pennington Gap, died on the operating
table in East Radford Station at 4 o'clock
this afternoon. this afternoon.
His legs were crushed off at the knee, and he was injured internally, while trying to board a freight train at Walton last night. His death occurred before the operation was finished.
Young Fugit left home with some boys and made his way to Roanoke, but was on his way back when the fatal accident occurred. His body will be sent to Norton.

Fire in Page.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

LURAY, VA., July 28.—The dwelling-house belonging to Ernest L. Painter, located near Alma, this county, eight miles south of Luray, has just been destroyed by fire, together with all the household effects. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Mrs. Painter was visiting a neighbor, some distance away, when the fire occurred. Mr. Painter was in an adjoining county. There was a small insurance on the building, only partially covering the loss.

Died From His Injuries.

Died From Als Injuries.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

TAZEWELL, VA., July 28.—A message was received here to-day stating that T. W. Keesce, son of William Keesce, of Tazewell, had died in a hospital at Chrimati. Young Keesee was a freman on the Norfolk and Western, and in a wreck near Cincinnati he fell under the train and had both legs cut off. His remains will be brought here for burial.

Purchasing Agent.

(By Associated Press.)

NORFOLK, VA., July 28.—H. P. Reigart, formerly purchasing agent or the Grand Island Kallway, with hendquarters at St. Joseph, Mo., has been appointed purchasing agent for the Tidewater Railway, with hendquarters in Norfolk. He as jumed charge of his office hers to-day.

GO ON THE BEST ROPULAR TRILBY ROUTE TO NORFOLK, OCEAN VIEW AND VA.
BEACH TC. MORROW.
\$1,00 round trip to Norfolk and Ocean
View. \$1,26 to Virginia Beach. Quickest
route. Leaves Byrd Street Station 8:30
A. M. The only Sunday Outling Train to
the ocean without change of cars.

"FINE I TELL YOU!" C. & O. SATURDAY AND SUNDAY EX-CURSIONS TO THE SEASIDE.

SIX FAVORITES SCANDAL LIKELY TO MEAN END OF WILSON

Secretary, Too Honest to Suspect Others, Will Probably Retire from Office-Bonaparte's New Orders Cause Stir Among Navy Employes.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, D. C., July 28.-When all the facts are known it is believed it will he shown that the President has taken investigation of the affairs of the Department of Agriculture, It has been intimated in some quarters that Mr. Roosevelt had apparently failed to realize the importance of the facts uncarthed in the importance of the facts uncarthed in the department, which showed the greatest corruption in the statistical division of the bureau which prepares the crop cstimates.

The probing has stopped, practically, pending a decision of the question as to whether they can be forced to tell all they know. It would appear that the curt can compel witnesses to divulge the probing has stopped, practically, pending a decision of the question as to whether they can be forced to tell all they know. It would appear that the curt can compel witnesses to divulge they are the probing has stopped, practically, pending a decision of the question as to whether they can be forced to tell all they know. It would appear that the curt can compel witnesses to divulge they are the probing has stopped, practically, pending a decision of the question as to whether they can be forced to tell all they know. It would appear that the curt can compel witnesses to divulge they know. It would appear that the curt can compel witnesses to divulge they know. It would appear that the curt can compel witnesses to divulge they know. It would appear that the curt can compel witnesses to divulge they know. It would appear that the probing has stopped, practically, pending a decision of the question as to whether they can be forced to tell all they know. It would appear that they know. It would appear that they know it would appear that

the best authority. While Secretary Wilson was inclined at the first to regard the charges made by Mr. Cheatham, secretary of the Cotton Growers' Association, as 'hot air," the President has all along indicated that he was watching affairs with the elector. indicated that he was watching affairs with the closest interest, and he has kept himself informed regarding every development. It is said that it is under the direct orders of the President that District Attorney Morgan Beach is insestigating the affairs of the department

It is furthermore stated on good authority that the President has been in of pilicipes telegraphic touch with Socretary Wilson, and it is specifically stated that on one day this week he sent the secretary two long telegrams, the tenor which is sonal were that the work of investigation was not progressing as satisfactorily as denot progressing as satisfactority as de-sired, and urging that it be expedited. It is said the dispatches were of a tem-perature which may be termed "warm" at the least.

The President is said to be nottled that The President is said to be notted that Chief Statistician John Hyde was allowed to leave the country, and that Holmes, the clerk, guilty of selling advance information regarding the nature of the torthcoming cotton reports, was permitted to get to Canada, where he cannot be reached by a civil process. The testimony of these two is needed by the

investigators.

It appears that the mistake consisted in accepting the resignation of Mr. Hyde. It has not been shown that he was guilty of crookedness, but his bureau was under investigation when he threw up the investigation when he threw up the sponge, He should not have been allowed to retire, it is held, until it had been as clearly established as was possible that he was not guilty of any mal-feasance or misfeasance. This has not

It is predicted that the outcome of the investigation of the affairs of the department will be the retirement of Secretary Wilson. There is not a breath of suspicion against the head of the department. He is universally looked upon as below as boust a man as is in the govment. He is universally looked upon as being as honest a man as is in the government service. Indeed, his honesty and utter inability to maintain an attitude of general suspicion towards those about him and under him were probably what caused his trouble. He did not keep as close an eyo on the affairs of the crop estimate division as he should have done. The appearance of competency he crop estimate division as he should have done. The appearance of competency he mistook for evidence of honesty. It is prophesied that he will have to go. Of course, he will not retire until the investigation is ended. It is possible 75

may remain until the end of Mr. Roose-velt's term. But he will eventually go. The district attorney is making poor headway in the matter of the investigation. The witnesses will not testify, and

missal from the service. It is a notor-lous fact that many men in the govern-ment service take advantage of the law that prohibits the garnishment of the salary of a governmental employe, and thus evade the payment of debts. It should be said, however, that the tradesmen of Washington employ every possible means to induce the employe to contract debts. The merchants who make a practice of seducing the clerk into opening an account with them, is deserving of pity, mingled with censure, ht the least

sional investigation of the joint high commission appointed some years ago tween America and Great Britain, Vice-President Fairhanks is at the head of the commission. It has done absolutely nothing more than spend the \$50,000 appropriated to defray the cost of its existence. It has existed seven years, and while it has met several times, it has accomplished absolutely nothing. The commission was expected to settle the Alaskan boundary dispute, but after spending four or five years in consideration of the matter, the whole subject was taken from the hands of the commission and referred to the British-American commission, of which Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, Ellihu Root, and ex-Senator Turner were members. This lat-

It is understood that Captain W. S. Cowles, brother-in-law of President Roosevelt, will be made chief of the hureau of equipment when Admiral Manney, who is now at the head of the bureau, retires in January. Captain Cowles was stationed here as aide to the

TEST DEMONSTRATES POWER OF NEW EXPLOSIVE, DUNNITE

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) JUNCTION CITY, KANS., July 28.-Major Beyerly W. Dunn, of the Ordnance stationed at the arsenal on Department, stationed at the arsenal on Governor's Island, New York, is at Fort Riley this week watching the experiments with the new explosive, dunnity of which he is the inventor. The Seventh Battery, field artillery, is making the experiment. It uses the new rapid-fire guns.

Early in the week a large stone block-house was built on Morris Hill on the roservation, and this was used as a target. The battery at a distance of nearly two miles demolished the blockhouse

and riddled the infantry silhouettes that were in trenches behind and at the sides of the fortification.

Yesterday three caissons containing ammunition were placed in a raying north of Fort Riley. One of the caissons contained dumits shells and the other two contained the regulation field battery ammunition. At a distance of 2,000 yards the battery shot into the three caissons. Each was struck by shells, but the one that contained dumnite was the only one that exploded. The explosion was terrific and the caisson was blown to splinters.

After the dumnite shells explode very few fragments of the shells can be found.

HERRING HELD FOR

how and by what means the said Charles J. Ahern came to his death, upon their

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J. Ahern came to his death, upon their
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on the 2rd a pistol shot wound of the
brain, inflicted on the 27th day of July,
1965, by John Hunter Herring.
In testimony whereof the said corone
and jurers set their hands and seal.
Wm. H. TAYLOR, M. D. Goroner, (Seal),
W. A. GREEKMORE, Foreman (Seal),
W. A. GRODMAN (Seal),
C. L. BUTLER (Seal),
C. L. BUTLER (Seal),
C. T. BUTLER (Sea

\$1.25 to secure a license. She and Ahern laughed over what they regarded as a joke on Herring. Conductor C. A. Clark, in charge of the No. 429, said that the two

car, No. 423, said that the two men boarded his car near Laurel Street. Ahern wanted to get off at Tinsley's, on West Broad Street, near the golf links. Herring remonstrated, and he thought nothing more about the affair. When just beyond Allen Avenue he heard a shot and looked around. Herring had the revolver in his hand, and he saw Herring line the second shot. Which shot took

AUCTION SALES, Future Days

By J. Thompson Brown & Company, 1113 Main Street.

T RUSTRE'S BALE OF ATTRACTIVE WEST END COTTAGE AND LARGE LOT, NO. 3205 FLOYD AND DOOLEY AVENUES, ON THE TROLLEY LINE, NEAR HOME PLACE.

AVENUES, ON THE TROLLEY LINE, NEAR HOME PLACE.

By virtue of a deed of trust, dated July 14, 1905, to the undersigned trustee, recorded in Henrico County Court D. B., 170 B, page 295, to secure certain notes therein described, default being made and being required so to do, we will sell at public auction, on the premises,

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18T, AT 8 P. M., all that lot of land, with improvements thereon, fronting 52 feet 10 1-2 inches at the southwest corner of Floyd and Dooley Avenues, and running back southwardly between parallel lines 135 feet to an alley 15 feet wide, with all rights and privileges therein belonging. This coay cottage contains 7 rooms, besides bath and numerous closets; has nice Breplace, reception hull, fine water from wind-mill, closet, etc., and amount at TERMS: Cash as to expense of sale, all unpuld taxes, and to pay two notes, one of \$150.85 with interest from July 14, 1905, and \$155.08 with interest from July 14, 1905, with proper prorate of interest and halance in 12 months.

REAL ESTATE SECURITY CO.,

Brown & Co., Auctioneers.

Geo. W. Mayo, Auctioneer.

B ANKRUPT SALE OF A LARGE STOCK OF GROCERIES AND LIQUORS, BAR FIXTURES, STORE FIXTURES, CASH REGISTER, &C.

By virtue of a decree, entered in the United States District Court for the East-ern District of Virginia, on 25th day of July, 1905, in the matter of W. B. Jones, a bankrupt, I will proceed to sell for the undersigned trustee, on the premises, No. 1729 West Cary Street.

WEDNEBDAY, AUGUST 2, 1905, National Cash Register, Large Grocer's Refrigerator, Patented Oil Tank, Coffee Mill, 7 Show Cases, Upright Counter, Oak, and Nickel Frame: Meat Scales, Tools and Block, Cak Roll-Top Desk, Grocers' Trays and Measures, Platform and Counter Scales, Fancy Cannisters, glass boxfronts: Fancy Racks, Candy Jars, Jawelry, Tinware, Nalls, Tacks, Notions, 25 Cases Fruit Jars, Seeds, Preserves, Lamp Chimneys, 10 Cases Starch, Ten, Coffee, Extracts, a very large and well-selected Stock of Canned Goods, Bottle, Package and other Shelf Goods; a large quantity of Laundry Stage, Barrel and Bulk Goods. Stock of Canned Goods, Bottle, Package and other Shelf Goods; a large quantity of Laundry Scap, Barrel and Bulk Goods, such as Vinegar, Molasses, Pickle, Fish, Etc., Bar Counter, Back Bar, with Mirror, Bear Pumpi Bar Ice Box, Bottle Goods, Chewing and Smoking Tobacoos, Cigars, and Cheroots, Decanters, Bottles, etc., Full and Part Barrels and Kogs of Whistides, Brandles, Wines, etc., Liquor and Grocer's License, Unexpired Lease. These goods are standard brands, and deserve the attention of the trade.

TERMS: Cash.

F. B. WINSTON,

TERMS: Cash. F. B. WINSTON, Trustee in Bankruptcy for W. E. Jones, Geo. W. Mayo, Auctioneer. 5u 28,29,30-Au 1,2-5t.

By T. M. Wortham & Co., Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers

Court Sale of Nice Detached Brick and Frame Dwelling, No. 527 N. Second, between Clay and Leigh Sts. A Most Desirable Home.

Pursuant to a decree of the Chancery Court of the city of Richmond, entered July 27th, 1905, in the cause of Sarah A. Montague vs. Thomas Cowles, Adminis-trator, I will sell, as Special Commis-sioner, at public auction, on the prem-

trator. I will sell, as Special Commissioner, at public auction, on the premisors, on THURSDAY, AUGUST 3D, 1965, at 5:30 o'clock P. M., the property described in said decree as follows:

"All that certain lot of land, with the improvements thereon, known as No. 527 North Second, fronting 27 feet on the east side of Second Street, between Clay and Leigh Streets, and running back between parallel lines 130 feet; the northern boundary of said lot being distant from the parallel lines 130 feet; the northern Loigh Street 187 feat 6 inches, and towning the same lot on the said to being distant from Cowless by James T. Statuon, Jr., by deed dated May 30th, 1886, and recorded in the oterks of Richmond in D. B. 50, page 156."

"The sa well constructed frame and pow under rental to a good tenant under a monthly lease. Those wishing a home or investment in this neighborhood will and it to their advantage to attend this saile.

TERMS—One-half of the pyrebase

sale. The sale was a superior of the purchase money to be paid oash, and the balance in equal instillments, payable at one, two and three years from the day of sale; or all cash, at the option of the purchaser; the deterred payments, if any, to be evidenced by negotiable notes of the purchaser, bearing interest from the day of sale, secured by a deed of trust upon the property.

EUGENE C. MASSIE, Special Commissioner

of the Special College duly given. Given under my hand this 28th day of July, 1905. CHAS, O. SAVILLE, Jy 29-tds Clerk.

Fine Farm in Hanover County.

In execution of a certain deed of trust dated February 1, 1966, and duly recorded 1 will sell at public auction, on the prem-I will sell at public auector, on the prenises, on
At 1:30 o'clock P. M., the valuable farm
known as the "Ashland Kennels. Parm,"
situated in Ashland Township, on the
Goodall Road and Charlottesville Turnpike, and containing 1764, acres of hand,
with exceptionally good improvements.

TERMS-Very liberal.

Tell particulars on application to the
Trustee, No. 821 E. Main Street.

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By A. J. Chewning Company,

AUCTION SALE OF

No. 1819 Jay Street, UPON THE PREMISES. Thursday, August 3, 1905, At 6 o'Clock P. M.

Lot 33x140 feet to an alley. This is a nice place of property, and you may get a bargain by attending this sale, as the property must be sold.

A. J. CHEWNING CO., Auctioneers.

REAL ESTATE-For Rent. FOR RENT,

No. 1 East Main Street, Handsome Corner Brick Dwelling, Mod-ern conveniences.

PARTICULARLY DESIRABLE FOR PHYSICIAN.

C. L. & H. L. DENOON.

at Baptist, New South Wales, passed a resolution that all girls between the ages of 15 and 18 shauld receive instruc-tion in the use of firearms.

Annihilating Space. When first he came to see her He showed a timid heart, And when the lights were low They sat this far apart,

But as their love grew stronger.
And they learned to love and kiss,
They knocked out all the spaces.
Andsatupchesikethis.
—South McAlister News.